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Applicant(s): Keller-Tuberg Docket: 135924
Serial No.: 10/059,697 Art Unit: 2157
Filed: January 29, 2002 Examiner: Sargon N. Nano
Title: Facilitating Improved Reliability of Internet Group Management Protocol
Through The Use of Acknowledge Messages

AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.116

M/S Non-Fee Amendments
Commissioner for Patents
P. O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Commissioner:

In response to the Final Office Action ("Office Action") dated January 30, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests entry of the following amendment to the claims under 37 C.F.R. § 1.116 on the grounds that the amendment places the application in condition for allowance.

Certificate Under 37 C.F.R. §1.8(a)

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being transmitted to the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office via facsimile, 571-273-8300, Attn: Examiner Sargon N. Nano, on March 30, 2006 in accordance with 37 C.F.R. §1.6(d).


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